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June 9, 2003

Mr. Dion Novak
Superfund Division
United State Environmental Protection Agency
77 West Jackson Boulevard
Mail Code: SR-6J
Chicago, IL 60604

Re: Monthly Progress Report – May 2003
Eagle Zinc Site, Hillsboro, Illinois

Dear Mr. Novak:

This progress report has been prepared pursuant to the December 31, 2001 Administrative Order by Consent (AOC) for the Eagle Zinc Company site located in Hillsboro, Illinois, and includes activities conducted during May 2003.

I. Activities Conducted During Reporting Month

Activities conducted during the reporting period included:

- Preparation of the draft Phase 2 Technical Memorandum.
- The scope of additional Phase 2 surface water and ground water sampling activities was developed and proposed in a letter to you dated May 30, 2003 and approved via an electronic mail message received by ENVIRON on June 6, 2003.

II. Difficulties Encountered During Reporting Month

No difficulties were encountered during the reporting month.

III. Changes in Key Project Personnel

No changes in key project personnel have occurred.

IV. Sampling and Testing Results

No sampling or testing results were received during the reporting period.

V. Project Schedule

The current Project Schedule, including actual dates for completed tasks, is attached to this letter.

VI. Activities Planned for Next Reporting Month

The following activities are planned for June 2003:

- Receipt of data validation reports for all laboratory analytical data collected during the initial Phase 2 sampling activities conducted in March 2003.
- Completion of additional Phase 2 sampling activities proposed in ENVIRON's May 30, 2003 letter. This work is expected to commence following the completion of off-site access arrangements and other preparatory activities.

If you have any questions concerning this progress report, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

ENVIRON International Corporation



F. Ross Jones, P.G.
Manager

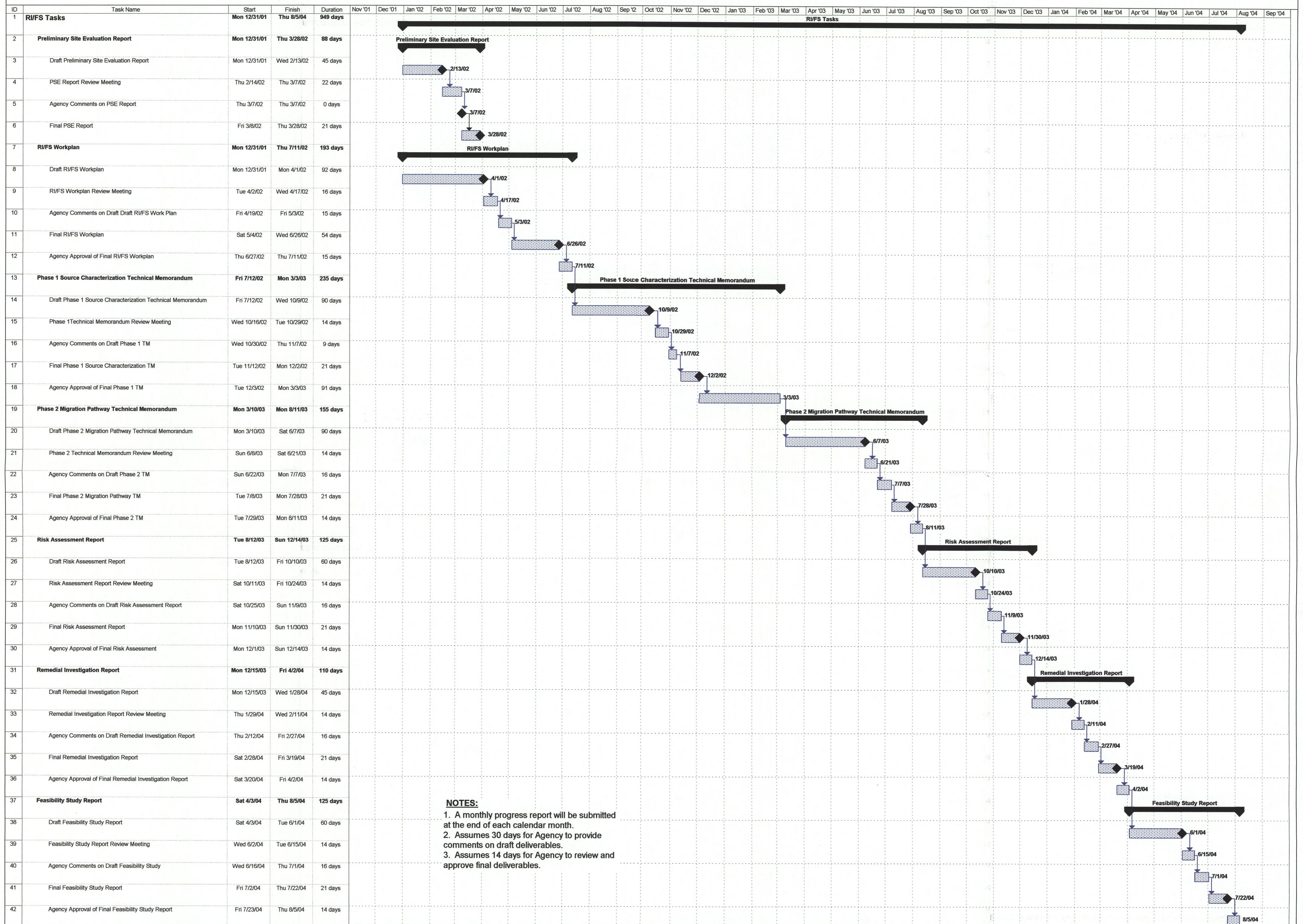
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Attachment

cc: Thomas Krueger, Esq. – USEPA Region 5 (w/o attachment)
Rick Lanham – IEPA Bureau of Land
Tim Biggs – CH2M Hill
John Ix, Esq. – Dechert (w/o attachment)
Paul Harper – Eagle-Picher (w/o attachment)
Doug Ucci – QMG; representing Eagle-Picher (w/o attachment)
Gordon Kuntz – Sherwin-Williams (w/o attachment)
Roy Ball – ENVIRON

EAGLE ZINC -RI/FS SCHEDULE
EAGLE ZINC COMPANY SITE HILLSBORO, IL



NOTES:

1. A monthly progress report will be submitted at the end of each calendar month.
2. Assumes 30 days for Agency to provide comments on draft deliverables.
3. Assumes 14 days for Agency to review and approve final deliverables.